

# SOCIETY

## MILLS COLLEGE ANNIVERSARY.

The 50th anniversary of Mills College, Oakland, Cal., was celebrated by the Mills Club of Honolulu last Thursday. This club is a representative of the educational institution. In it are women who knew Dr. and Mrs. Mills at Punahou and who attended Mills seminary and later Mills College in California. It is no longer a seminary but is absolutely a college.

The home of Mrs. A. J. Campbell was transformed into a miniature theater; the stage represented a glade in the woodlands of Hawaii. Tall palms and ferns hiding the walls, the flowers of the wood, the glorious white and gold lines—(Mills College colors). The rays of sunlight were represented by banners of white and gold tarlatan radiating from the central light. The whole effect was most beautiful. The hall had been transformed into a shaded woodland and there beneath the palms and ferns were placed the tables, where delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. A. J. Campbell is noted for her artistic decorations and certainly her home warranted the highest praise.

Mrs. C. H. Kluegel, president of the Mills Club of Honolulu, welcomed the guests, her speech sounding the keynote, many recognizing the message from Mrs. Mills as spoken by Mrs. Kluegel and if it were possible one might have heard these words repeated the president of this club: "Well done, my daughter."

During the afternoon all enjoyed the musical part of the program. Mrs. Furer has gone a long way on the road of music. Her understanding and touch were those of an artist and in the piano she gave much pleasure to her friends as they listened to her interpretation of one of the master's songs.

Miss Fairweather, another of Honolulu's talented women, added to the pleasure of the afternoon. Certainly pianism is well represented in the world of art; such artists as Mrs. Furer and Miss Fairweather are to be envied. If Mrs. Furer understands the piano, then Miss Fairweather understands how to hold her audience with her power of song.

Later in the afternoon Miss Alice Doughty, a Mills seminary graduate, gave of her talent. She has won admiration in the music world. Miss Doughty appreciated the fact that she could be with them on this anniversary, and as memories came they seemed to enrich, if possible, the tone and richness of her voice as she sang her message to the alumnae.

The address of the afternoon was given by Miss Helen W. Kimball of Oakland. She spoke of "The Historical Growth of the Tree." She said in speaking of history one not only thinks of the development of events but of the individuals that have led the way up through the days, weeks, months and years to the present time. All life is a development, an unfolding of that which is.

She compared the growth of the college to a tree, developing upward in the sunshine and air, sending its roots downward and outward into the fundamental foundations of life's soil. "As the gardener prunes away the broken and barren branches, so time, the gardener of life, prunes the broken branches, the mistaken ideas. We do not see the severed branch but the perfect tree filled with the power of possibilities."

"Today we look upon the tree of education as it is, as it was in the seed 50 years ago. Whence came this seed? What caused it to grow?" Then she traced the influence that was felt by Dr. and Mrs. Mills in their own eastern homes; during college days; their teaching in India; their purpose to aid humanity, but in giving they were receiving the love of humanity and the far-seeing sight of possibilities.

The next development was here in Hawaii, this reference to the close connection of Mills College and Punahou and she asked the question, "Why does Punahou prepare for a college that has been so vitally influenced by itself? For the third development is to be found in your school."

"It was here that Dr. and Mrs. Mills dwelt, drank in and absorbed the wonders of this land, influencing the life of the tree which they were to plant. 'No one can flee the sun as it appears above the horizon, your ever-changing shadows on mountain cliffs and slopes, caused partly by the drifting clouds, the green of your verdure, the beauty of your sea, the coloring of the sun as it sinks only to shine on another land, your night sky with its stars and golden moon; and then your people, the people of a golden legend—Mary lore—no one can drink in this truth of nature without bringing to themselves the golden thoughts of the Universe.'

"Dr. and Mrs. Mills were preparing for their life work. The seed was planted at Benicia, California; there it sprang into the visible world, then transplanted to its present location, where it has grown into the tree. The heart, the spirit of its founders, the sapwood, the educational institution, through which flows the great streams of knowledge and as it nourishes the tree we observe the growth and each year the blossoms—the graduation class."

Then the speaker painted a glowing picture of the future with Dr. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt as President—"One who will prune and graft, and nourish our tree until it grows into the great western college for women. May she become part of the heart, inspiring the future growth, and each year may root, branch, leaf and blossom give to the world a better womanhood, a finer motherhood."

"Each year the unfolding of the plant that lay concealed in the seed, taking and giving to the Universal World."

In the recitation, "When I was a Girl at Mills," written by Mrs. Fanny Rice Carpenter of New York and rendered by Mrs. A. J. Campbell, the keynote sounded again. Mrs. Campbell's art of recitation has been known but her histrionic ability was a surprise to her



Miss Ruby I. Garrett of San Francisco, visiting with Capt. and Mrs. C. J. Campbell of Honolulu.

Friends. As the last stanza was given a figure appeared through the woods an East Indian woman, and to the question of Mrs. Campbell "Who are you?" she replied, "I am India." She spoke of her country as "unknown and misunderstood," but that she had come to pay tribute to the memory of Dr. and Mrs. Mills who had done much for her people.

As she leaves she says, "Now I return back to my own country there to watch and wait a great good to all humanity."

Hawaii next appeared, dressed in a tapa costume (all the costumes were designed by Miss Frazier), and to the question "Who are you?" replies, "It is well that you ask who I may be, for times have changed and I hardly know myself. I was and I am Hawaii. My spirit still lives in the mountains and in the valleys; on the land and in the sea; in the waterfalls that leap downward, in the streams that rush upward, in the pools and their reflected beauty; in the trees and in the flowers; in the rainbows that span the sky and kiss the earth."

"The spirit of dawn, noonday and eventide; the spirit of starlight and moonlight."

"My songs I sing in the heart of nature; listen, can you not hear them in the song of the bird, the swish of the sea and the sounds of the shore. I am the spirit of my people."

Again in the conversation between Hawaii and the hostess was featured the work of Dr. and Mrs. Mills at Punahou during which Hawaii claims to have given to California.

Next California, dressed in a flowing white robe, crown of gold upon her head and carrying a bunch of California poppies, demands what Hawaii has given to California. "The proudest of the United States, the land of sunshine and flowers, the land of golden opportunities. We came from the eastern shores of America, not from the islands of the Pacific."

Hawaii conquers California by her courtesy and again the author speaks of the islands, calling them the islands of peace and tranquility.

California is followed by two of her children, they are the Mills girls—seminary and college. Seminary days are about to vanish, for college days come, but no, the author has college days admit the truth. From India, from Hawaii, from seminary days, has arisen the cause of our existence. You the cause, we the results, and always we will go down life's path together. Out on the campus, in the halls, there she will find her sister of yesterday helping to mount one more rung in the ladder of success. Building more perfect the master mountain and knowledge to the memory of their alma mater, father and mother.

California, seminary and college days return home, and the last thought in this little playlet is spoken by Hawaii as she leads the hostess into the heart of her country. "Come to my courts with me, into the heart of nature; away from the haunts of men; listen to my songs and my words of wisdom."

The characters were well sustained. Mrs. Willie Campbell made a beautiful Hindu woman, and in her interpretation of character, one might say truly she was of that land.

Miss Frazier assumed, although a college graduate, the part of the Seminary girl with all the attractions of the under-graduate. Miss Frazier is talented in many ways; she designed and painted the costumes and helped the author to produce the playlet as it should be presented.

Miss Kimball said, "Please take the playlet as a bit of sentiment not as a literary production. It has given me the opportunity to add my voice to the praise of alma mater, it also gave me the opportunity to give voice to my admiration of your land, 'The Islands of the Pacific.'"

The program was as follows: Greetings by the President of Mills Club. Mrs. C. H. Kluegel Piano Solo. Mrs. W. C. Furer Address, "The Historical Growth of the Tree." Miss Helen Kimball Vocal Solo. Miss Fairweather Accompanist. Mrs. W. C. Furer Recitation, "When I was a Girl at Mills (By Mrs. Fannie Rouse Carpenter)." Mrs. A. J. Campbell Playlet, "The Visitors."

India. Mrs. Willie Campbell Hawaii. Miss Frazier California. Miss Frazier Germany. Miss Frazier College. Miss Kimball Hostess. Mrs. A. J. Campbell Vocal Solo—(a) "The Rose; (b) "To You." Miss Alice Doughty

Among the guests invited were Mrs. Charles Bryant Cooper, Mrs. Arthur L. Dean, Mrs. Edgar Wood, Mrs. Arthur F. Griffiths, Mrs. E. Williams, Miss Kinney, Mrs. Doremus Scudder, Miss Marshall, Miss Newton, Miss Anna Reed, Miss Mary P. Waine, Mrs. A. Alexander, Mrs. J. M. Dowsett, Mrs. F. Macfarlane, Rev. Mother Lawrence, Miss Morrison, Mrs. Charles Chillingworth, Mrs. George Castle, Mrs. William R. Castle, Mrs. Beatrice Castle, Mrs. Deming, Miss Alice Doughty, Mrs. W. C. Furer, Miss Fairweather, Mrs. J. L. Leal, Miss Mills, Mrs. Edward Paris, Miss Marian Paris, Mrs. George Herbert, Mrs. E. D. Tenney, Mrs. Bernice Walbridge, Mrs. Augustus E. Murphy, Miss Thelma K. Murphy, Mrs. Frank Richardson, Miss White, Mrs. Sanford B. Dole, Mrs. Eben Lew, Mrs. George Kluegel, Miss Pauline Kluegel, Miss Chien, Miss Helen Kimball, Miss Grace Robertson, Miss Harriet Young, Mrs. C. H. Dick, Mrs. Juliette Atherton, Mrs. B. F. Phillips, Miss Elliott, Mrs. C. M. Cooke, Miss Alice Cooke, Mrs. S. M. Damon, Miss May Damon, Mrs. W. W. Goodale, Mrs. F. M. Swany, Mrs. Phillip Dodge, Mrs. Frank Halsted, Miss Gladys Hart, Mrs. H. Denison, Miss Florence Denison, Mrs. J. Howard Ellis, Mrs. Melanphy, Miss Margaret Cooke, Mrs. F. D. Lowrey, Mrs. James McGure, Mrs. J. P. Winne, Mrs. Royen, Mrs. Ed Duisenberg, Mrs. Caroline Shipman, Mrs. Frank Damon,

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## FT. SHAFTER SOCIETY

(Special Star Bulletin Correspondent) FT. SHAFTER, May 27.—Lieutenant and Mrs. John B. Richardson entertained informally at supper last Sunday evening at their home in the cantonment.

Miss Elizabeth Rosenbaum spent the past weekend as the house guest of Major and Mrs. William R. Dashiell.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Woodfin G. Jones entertained informally at dinner in their home in the cantonment last Saturday evening for Miss Elizabeth Rosenbaum, Miss Dorothy Barker, Lieutenant W. E. R. Covell and Dr. H. M. DeBer.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Thomas J. Camp spent the past weekend camping near Haleiwa, returning to the post Sunday evening.

A delightful picnic was enjoyed by quite a few from the post last Saturday. The party left the post in the morning, motored out to Haleiwa, and after a delightful swim had luncheon on the beach near where the company of engineers under the command of Lieutenant P. R. Reinicke is in camp, returning to Shafter the latter part of the afternoon. Among those who enjoyed this delightful day were: Major and Mrs. William R. Dashiell, Mrs. Pearson, Lieutenant and Mrs. H. C. K. Muhlenberg, Lieutenant and Mrs. John B. Richardson, Mrs. John C. Grady, Mrs. John Sullivan, Mrs. Ralph Holliday, Lieutenant and Mrs. Reinicke, Lieutenant and Mrs. Thomas J. Camp, Miss Elizabeth Rosenbaum, Lieutenant and Mrs. Theodore Martin, and Captain Smith.

Captain and Mrs. James E. Bell were host and hostess for the Monday Evening Card Club last Monday evening and Mrs. Lloyd Fredendall having the highest score won the prize, which was a most attractive Chinese sewing basket. There were four tables of bridge and among those playing cards were: Mrs. Daniel L. Howell, Mrs. F. F. Black, Colonel and Mrs. Charles S. Lincoln, Mrs. Witsell, Mrs. B. W. Atkinson, Mrs. Thomas J. Harker, Mrs. Ralph Holliday, Madame Fredendall, Mrs. Lloyd R. Fredendall, Captain and Mrs. Alden C. Knowles, Madame Cochran, Lieutenant and Mrs. Clyde R. Abraham, and Captain and Mrs. James E. Bell.

Mrs. Paul B. Malone and the Misses Kerwin, who made the trip to Hilo last week, returned to the post on Tuesday morning after a most delightful weekend and most enthusiastic over the wonders of the volcano. Captain Paul B. Malone did not return with his family but had his leave extended that he might take advantage of the opportunity to visit Mauna Loa. Miss Vera Damon, Mrs. Putman, Mrs. W. H. Campbell, Miss May Frazier, Miss Peggy Campbell, Mrs. J. B. Beardmore, Mrs. Carlos Long, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Holmberg, and others.

## CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU

Mondays—Punahou, Mauna Kea.  
Tuesdays—Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo Forest.  
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Wednesdays—Nuuanu, Punahou, Pacific Heights. First and third Wednesdays, above the Nuuanu bridge, second and fourth Wednesdays, below bridge, fourth Wednesdays, Pacific Heights, first and third Wednesdays, Alewa Heights.  
Thursdays—The Plains.  
Fridays—Hotels and town, fourth Friday, Fort Shafter, first Friday, Alewa, College Hill.  
First and third Friday: Kamehameha Schools, last Friday.  
Saturdays—10 a. m. to 3 p. m. and fourth Saturdays.  
Fort Shafter—Calling day every Friday.

Note: The following members of the Society Editor is 1980.

while it was active. He returned to Honolulu Saturday morning.

Lieutenant Carl Cohen was host at a most enjoyable dinner last Saturday at the bachelor building when he entertained for Lieutenant and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler, Mrs. Witsell and Lieutenant Edwin Witsell.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Ralph Holliday had Colonel Roberts as their dinner guest last Sunday evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Boller who are stationed here regret exceedingly to hear of her death which occurred during the past month. Lieutenant and Mrs. Boller had been in the 2nd Infantry for many years and only left last summer for the mainland to join a new regiment.

Mrs. Witsell was hostess at a most enjoyable informal bridge Thursday afternoon at her quarters in the bachelor building.

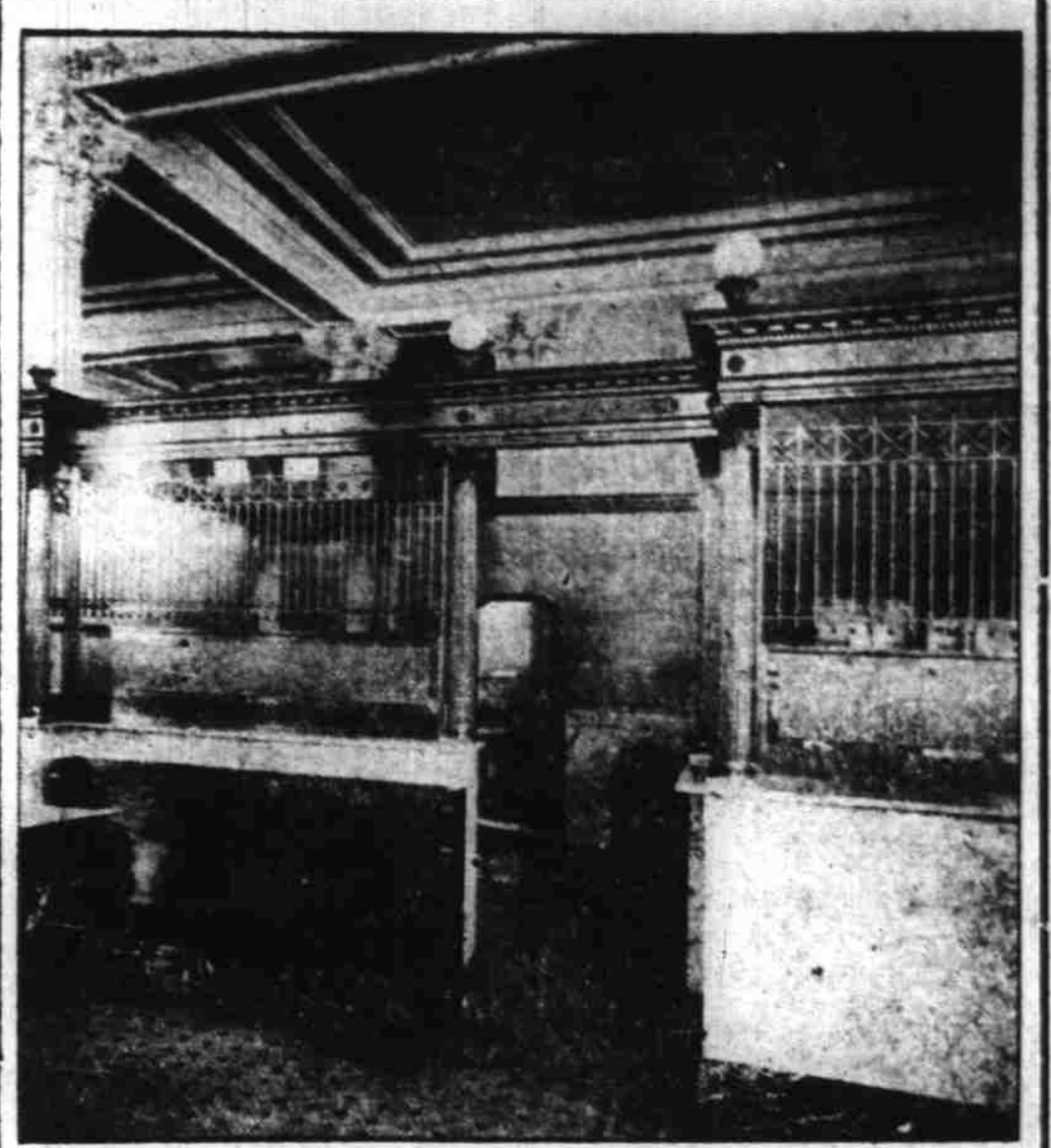
The informal hop given at the Officers' Club last evening was in the nature of a farewell party to Captain and Mrs. Paul B. Malone and family, as they leave on the next transport for the mainland.

## WOMAN GIVEN PERMIT TO PRACTISE MEDICINE

Eight applicants have received permission to practise medicine in the territory, following the examinations held by the medical board earlier this month. One of the successful applicants is Mrs. Ruth A. McKellar, wife of Capt. Harry R. McKellar, M. C., Fort Shafter. Capt. McKellar was also granted a permit.

Others who passed were Maj. C. Gordon McV. Van Poole, M. C., U. S. A., Hawaiian department, Honolulu; Maj. Benjamin J. Ecker, Jr., M. C., U. S. A., Fort Shafter; Capt. Lauren S. Eckels, M. C., U. S. A., Hawaiian department, Honolulu; Shintaro Ichinohe, Japanese, Honolulu; E. F. Alsop and Hanson West of the Queen's Hospital.

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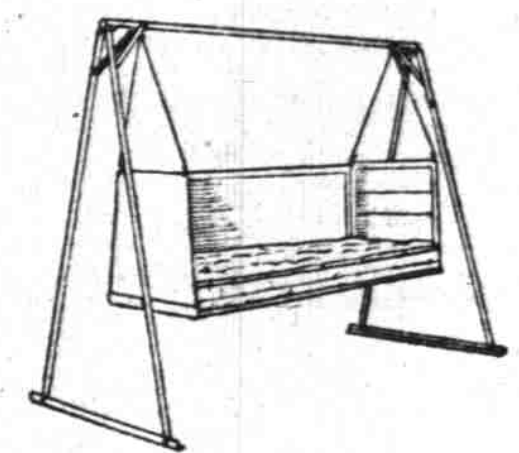
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